#### Welcome to Y1KB

Teacher: Miss Beswick
Teaching Assistant: Mrs Tomines





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#### Miss Beswick



This is my 5<sup>th</sup> year teaching, I began my career at SGC in Reception and then made the move last year into Year 1.

Outside of school, my world revolves round my little family. We love exploring new places and being outside!







#### **Mrs Tomines**



This is my second year at Saint Georges Central.

Last year I was in Year 2, I am looking forward to being in Year 1 and am very happy to be working here at SGC/

When I am not in school, my family keep me busy – specially my 10 year old son. We love watching movies and travelling as family!















#### Y1KB Class timetable

Doors open at 8:40am	<b>KS1</b> 9:00am – 9:20am	<b>KS1</b> 9:20am – 10:20am	Snack & Break 10:20am – 10:35am	KS1 10:35am = 11:05am	KS1 11:05am – 12:00pm	KS1 Lunch 12:00pm – 1:00pm	KS1 1:00pm = 1:30pm	KS1 1:30pm – 2:00pm	KS1 2:15pm = 3:00pm	Class Reader 3:00pm – 3:20pm
Mon	Whole School Worship: MG/AM	Maths	Snack and break	Little Wandle Reading	English	Lunch	Phonics/ Spelling/ Handwriting	Science	Science	Class reader
Tues	Whole School Hymns: VG (Miss Davies)	Music (Miss Davies)	Snack and break (Miss Davies)	Little Wandle Reading (Miss Davies until 10:45am)	English	Lunch	Phonics/ Spelling/ Handwriting	Maths	Outdoor PE	Class reader
Wed	Whole School Worship: Class teachers	Maths	Snack and break	Little Wandle Reading	English	Lunch	Phonics/ Spelling/ Handwriting	Indoor PE	PSHE/Library	Class reader
Thurs	Class based Worship: See rota for coverage	Maths	Snack and break	Little Wandle Reading	English	Lunch	Phonics/ Spelling/ Handwriting	RE	Computing	Class reader
Fri	Celebration/ Class Worship: MG/AM	Maths	Snack and break	Book Talk/Picture News	English	Lunch	Phonics/ Spelling/ Handwriting	Geog/Hist	Geog/Hist	Class reader

Mrs Tomines will support children in class each day

Art/DT to be taught over a specific week to be identified across the key phase

#### Y1KB Curriculum Overview

Year 1 and Year 2 Curriculum Overview: 2025 - 2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Experiences	Curious Critters	Pop Project	Town Walk	Tyldesley Mining Museum	Indian Experience Day	Trip to Liverpool Maritime Museum
Art	Can you draw an animal with just one line?	How do you take a line for a walk?		What shape are the hills?		
DT			How did the Billy Goats Gruff cross the river?		What makes a great tropical fruit salad?	How can you join fabric to create a puppet?
English	Genre: Narrative (Stories)	Genre: Narrative (Diary)	Genre: Persuasive Letters	Genre: Narrative (Stories)	Genre: Non-Chronological Report	Genre: Non Fiction (Information text)
	Text: Once Upon an Ordinary School Day Colin McNaughton	Text: We Are the Beatles Zoe Tucker	Text: Dear Fairy Godmother Michael Rosen	Text: Various stories Julia Donaldson	<b>Text:</b> <i>Lily's Garden of India</i> Jeremy Smith	Text: The Story of the Titanic for Children Joe Fullman
	Audience for writing: Children in Early Years	Audience for writing: Fans of The Beatles	Audience for writing: Characters from the text	Audience for writing: Enthusiasts of Julia Donaldson	Audience for writing: World Explorers	Audience for writing: Young Historians
	Purpose for writing: To entertain	Purpose for writing: To entertain	Purpose for writing: To persuade	Purpose for writing: To entertain	Purpose for writing: To inform	Purpose for writing: To inform
	Grammar: -Combine words to make sentences -Leave spaces between words Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marksUse subordination and co-ordination -Sequence sentences to form short narratives	Grammar: -Combine words to make sentences -Leave spaces between words -Capital letters for names and personal pronoun '1' -Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marksUse subordination and coordination -Consistent use of past tense	Grammar: -Combine words to make sentences -Leave spaces between words Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marksUse subordination and co-ordination -Consistent use of present tense	Grammar: -Combine words to make sentences -Leave spaces between words Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marksUse subordination and co-ordination -Sequence sentences to form short narratives -Form adjectives using suffixes	Grammar: -Combine words to make sentences -Leave spaces between words Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marksUse subordination and co-ordination -Consistent use of present tense	Grammar: -Combine words to make sentences -Leave spaces between words Capital letters, full stops, question marks and exclamation marksUse subordination and co-ordination -Consistent use of present tense

English	Form adjointly on value		Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	<ul> <li>Form adjectives using</li> </ul>			-Expanded noun phrases		
continued	suffixes			for description and		
	-Expanded noun phrases			specification		
	for description and			-Consistent use of past or		
	specification			present tense		
-	-Consistent use of past or			-Use statements,		
	present tense			questions, commands		
	-Use statements,			and exclamations.		
q	questions, commands and			-Progressive verbs		
	exclamations.			-Apostrophe's for		
	-Progressive verbs			omission of letters		
-4	Apostrophe's for omission					
	of letters					
	Poem:	Poem:	Poem:	Poems:	Poem:	Poem:
/	All the things you can say	Historian	The Owl and the Pussy Cat	If I were a shape	Bugs	The Titanic
	to places in the UK	John	E. Lear	Brian Moses	Andy Tooze	Gillian Clarke
	Brian Moses	Kitching				
Geography	Where in the world is		What is interesting		Where would I prefer to live:	
	the United Kingdom?		about Tyldesley?		Tyldesley or Chembakolli?	
History		What was life like		What happened in		Why is the Titanic
		in the 1960s?		Tyldesley in the past?		so famous?
Computing	What is IT?	Do you have the power to	Can you be the bo	oss of the robot?	How do you capture	How can pictures
		create a slide?	,		a moment?	represent data?
			Can you be a ch	nase creator?		
Maths	Place Value	Addition and Subtraction	Place Value	Place Value	Multiplication and Division	Position and Direction
(Y1)	Addition and Subtraction	Properties of Shape	Addition and Subtraction	Length and Height	Fractions	Place Value
				Mass and Volume		Money and Time
Maths	Place Value	Addition and Subtraction	Y1 Place Value	Y1 Place Value	Y1 Multiplication/ Division	Position and Direction
(Y1/2)	Addition and Subtraction	Properties of Shape	Y1 Addition/ Subtraction	Length and Height	Y2 Statistics	Y1 Place Value
			Y2 Money	Mass/ Capacity/	Fractions	Time
			Y2 Multiplication/ Division	Temperature		
Maths	Place Value	Addition and Subtraction	Money	Length and Height	Statistics	Position and Direction
(Y2)	Addition and Subtraction	Properties of Shape	Multiplication and Division	Mass and Capacity	Fractions	Time
				Temperature		
Music	How could different	What are the features of	What instruments can be	How can songs tell	What is the difference about	What do African
	instruments represent	pop and rock music?	found in an orchestra?	us about history?	Indian music when	rhythms sound like?
	different animals?				compared with Western	
					music?	

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2		
PE (indoor)	What happens if	How might I	How might I order	How do I compare	How might I	How do I exercise safely?		
	I don't succeed?	encourage others?	movement and skills?	and develop?	perform a sequence?			
	All year groups participate in a mindfulness session each half-term with a class specific focus built around mental health and w							
PE (outdoor)	What is meant by balance and coordination?	What is the best way to throw and catch?	How can I change the way I travel?  Have you seen my moving and passing skills?		How do we go for gold?			
PSHE	What makes a good friend?	How can we make sure everyone is treated equally?	What helps us stay healthy?	What can we do with money?	Who helps keep us safe?	How do we recognise our feelings?		
RE	Who do Christians say made the world?	Who is Jewish and how do they live?		What is the Good News Christians say Jesus brings?	What do Christians believe God is like?	What does it mean to belong to a faith community?		
		Why do we give and receive gifts at Christmas?		In what way is the Easter story a new beginning?				
Science	What different groups do animals belong to?	What material is best for?	What do we need to go	row and stay healthy?	How do plants and animals obtain their food?	Why do some objects float?		
Residential		Year 1: one night in the school hall			Year 2: one night camping on the school field			
Forest				Year 1: What skills do I	Year 2: Do I need a bow saw			
School				need to be a Forest School explorer?	or a mallet to help me make a wood cookie?			
All Being Well activities	Year 1, Year 1/2 and Y2: Community litter pick		Year 1, Year 1/2 and Y2: visit to Hillcrest Residential Home					
SGC Life Skill	Year 1: Children can use a knife and fork correctly when eating  Year 2: Children can tie their own shoe laces							

Subject Sp	ecific Vocabulary	Interesting Book	Sticky Knowledge		
fish	A fish is a scaly skinned creature with a spine that swims in water	Bog Baby	about animals		
	and breathes using gills.  All amphibians begin their life in	Bog Basy	The blue whale can produce the loudest sound of any animal.		
amphibians	water with gills and tails. Examples are frogs and newts.		Horses and cows sleep while		
reptiles	Are animals that are cold-		standing up.		
	blooded. Most lay eggs and their skin is covered with hard, dry scales.	7. Jeanne Willis - Gwen Millward	☐ Giant Arctic jellyfish have tentacles that can reach over 36 metres in		
birds	Birds have feathers and wings. They lay eggs and are warm- blooded animals.	Wild Animals	length.  ☐ Tigers can grow up to a length of 3 metres and weigh up to 300		
mammals	Mammals are also warm		kilograms when fully developed.		
	blooded animals. They breath air and have a backbone.		☐ There are about 400 million+ dogs in		
carnivore	A carnivore is a meat-eating animal that gets its food from killing other animals.	ANNE	the entire world. The average life of a dog depending on the breed can vary from 10 to 14 years.		
herbivore	A herbivore eats plants.	A A	Dolphins use whistling, clicking and other sounds to communicate with		
omnivore	An omnivore eats plants and meat.		each other.		
tame	Domesticated animals that are not frightened of humans and do not try to hurt humans.	Y SLLA	Camels can survive up to six months without water or food due to the fatty tissues stored in their humps.		
wild	Living in the natural environment and not belonging to humans.	A 32	☐ The cheetah is the fastest animal to roam the earth with top speeds of		
nocturnal	Animals that are active during the night time.		113 km per hour.		

All of our topics have a Knowledge Organiser alongside them. These explain what is being taught in the topic, any key vocabulary and sticky knowledge.

Knowledge organisers for all topics can be found on our school website.

Y1 Residential – Sleepover



#### Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2025

Meeting for parents: Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> October

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#### Forest School – Spring 2

#### Clothing requirements:

- Wellingtons
- Waterproof (at least one size bigger)
- Warm trousers to cover legs, warm tshirt and jumper to cover the arms.
   OR, trousers, T-Shirt and light weight jacket.

Optional: A warm hat/summer hat/ Sun cream, spare socks





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Y1 Life Skill: To use a knife and fork correctly









#### PE & Kit Requirements

Outdoor PE: Tuesday

Indoor PE: Wednesday

Things to remember:

- Pumps to stay in school
- Come to school in your PE kit



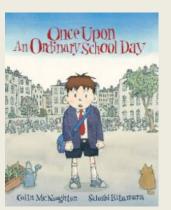




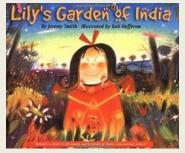
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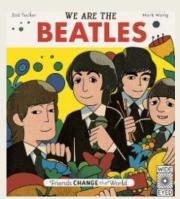




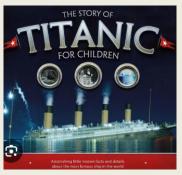




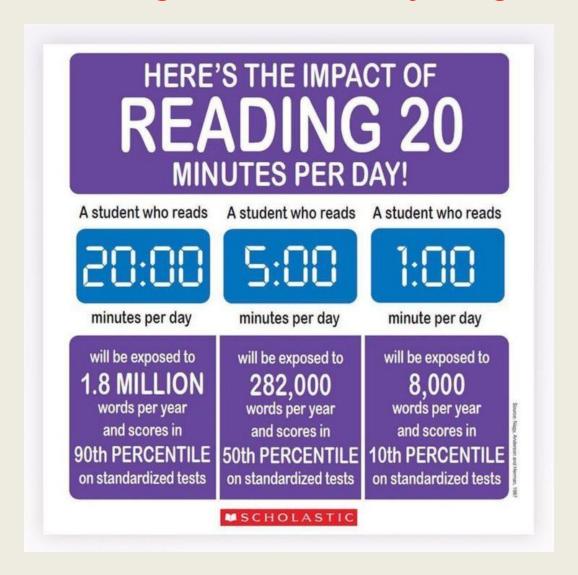




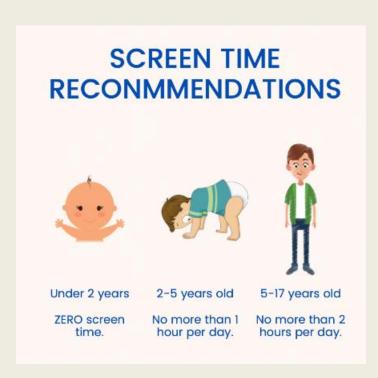




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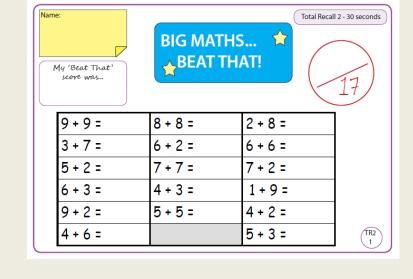


#### **Computing - Guides for Parents**

- · Age Ratings Guide
- · Conversation Starters with your child about Online Safety
- Cyberbullying
- Fortnite Battle Royale
- Roblox
- Fortnite Chapter 2
- Grand Theft Auto
- TikTok
- Instagram
- Minecraft
- Nintendo Switch
- Online Challenges
- Online Gaming & Gambling
- Online Safety For Children
- · Safer Apps for Children
- Safety Net
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- Smart Phone Safety
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#### Home Learning

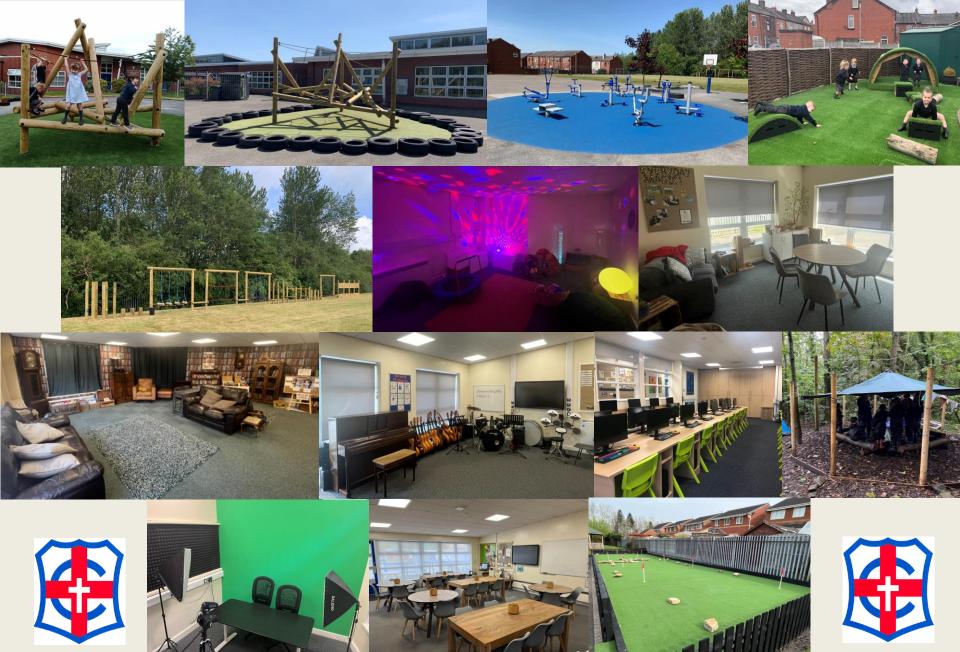












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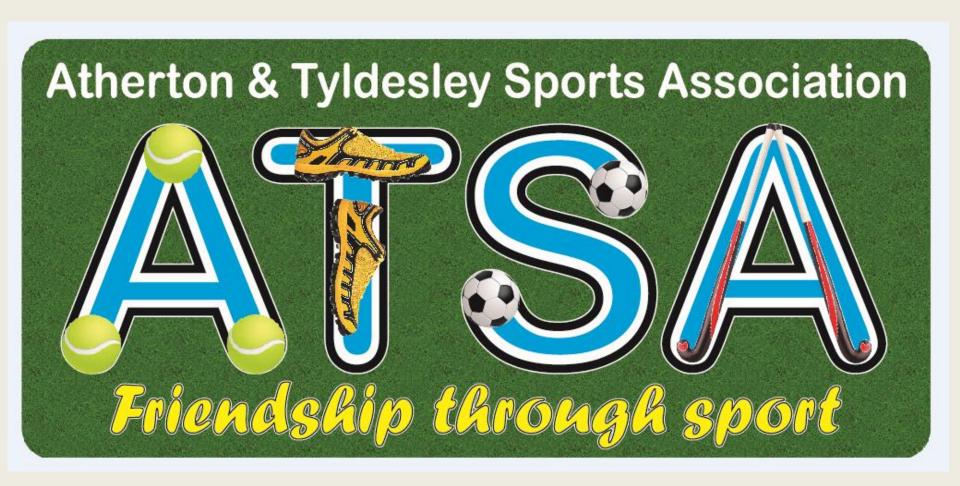


































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### Importance of Reading

'Children with higher reading skills at age 10 see the impact through their salaries more than 25 years later'





### Importance of Reading

'A strong reader at age 10 would earn 21% more per hour at age 38, on average, than someone from a similar background with poor reading skills'





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#### Who to contact when I have a concern - General Guide

General concerns	Safeguarding concerns
	Step 1
Class teacher – first instance for class matters.	Miss Peaty – first instance for safeguarding matters which are not class based.
	If it is not about your child, we are limited in what we can share/discuss.
If this does not resolve the	e situation, proceed to Step 2
	Step 2
Class teacher and a senior member of staff.	Miss Peaty – go back and speak again or ask for clarification
	If it is not about your child, we are limited in what we can share/discuss.
If this does not resolve t	he situation, proceed to Step 3
	Step 3
Headteacher	Headteacher
If this does not resolve t	the situation, proceed to Step 4
	Step 4
Compliments and Complaints Policy	Compliments and Complaints Policy
	Safeguarding, Child Protection and Early Help Policy
If this does not resolve t	the situation, proceed to Step 5
	Step 5
Ofsted	Ofsted
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## St. George's Central CE Primary School and Nursery A few things to remember

- Please bring your planner & water bottle to school every day
- Send your children in PE kits Tuesday and Wednesday
- Access reading at least 3 times per week (via ebooks, sharing books...)
- Keep up to date with key information via seesaw and X
- Homework is set on a Friday, and due the follow Friday.

